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Patent or Application No.	**Country**	**Filing Date**	**Title and Inventor(s)**
60/154,155	US	9/15/1999	Simple method for forming an EEPROM cell together with transistors for peripheral circuits; by John Caywood; Gregorio Spadea
6,451,652	US	09/07/2000	Method for forming an EEPROM cell together with transistor for peripheral circuits; by John Caywood; Gregorio Spadea
60/244,620	US	10/30/2000	EEPROM and flash memory; by Albert Bergemont; Greg Spadea
6,606,265	US	10/30/2001	Common source EEPROM and flash memory; by Albert Bergemont; Gregorio Spadea
PCT/US01/45319	WO	10/30/2001	Common source EEPROM and flash memory; by Albert Bergemont; Gregorio Spadea
01 993 004.9	EP	10/30/2001	

60/323,612	US	9/19/2001	Non-volatile memory element; by Glen Rosendale
6,809,965	US	09/18/2002	Control circuitry for a non-volatile memory; by Glen Arnold Rosendale
PCT/US02/30043	WO	9/19/2002	Control circuitry for a non-volatile memory; by Glen A. Rosendale
NI-192309	TW		
60/323,574	US	9/19/2001	Methodology to optimize CMOS ASIC library copper power bus widths
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60/373,744	US	4/17/2002	Low power 5-volt input buffer; by Mike McManus; Byungha Joo
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6,657,880	US	12/04/2002	SRAM bit line architecture; by John M. Callahan
60/291,457	US	5/15/2001	High voltage N-channel LDMOS devices built in a deep submicron CMOS process; by Greg Spadea
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10/147,229	US	5/15/2002	High Voltage N-Channel LDMOS Devices Built in a Deep Submicron CMOS; by Gregorio Spadea
60/393,088	US	6/27/2002	3.3V 0.13um process high speed comparator of very wide common mode input differential signal; by Olivier Saint-Luc; Jackie Chu
10/609,006	US	6/26/2003	Circuitry and method to provide a high speed comparator for an input stage of a low-voltage differential signal receiver circuit; by Olivier A. Saint-Luc; Jackie Chu
PCT/US03/20253	WO	6/27/2003	Circuitry and method to provide a high speed comparator for an input stage of a low-voltage differential signal receiver circuit; by Olivier A. Saint-Luc; Jackie Chu

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